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To: Subst. House Bill No. **5656** File No. 635

"AN ACT CONCERNING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES TO INDIVIDUALS TO PURSUE POST SECONDARY SCHOOL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES."

- 1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
- 2 following in lieu thereof:
- 3 "Section 1. Section 10a-29 of the general statutes is amended by adding subdivision (9) as follows (*Effective July 1, 2007*):
- 5 (NEW) (9) A person, other than a nonimmigrant alien as described
- 6 in 8 USC 1101(a)(15), shall be entitled to classification as an in-state
- 7 student for tuition purposes, (A) if such person (i) resides in this state,
- 8 (ii) attended any educational institution in this state and completed at
- 9 least four years of high school level education in this state, (iii)
- 10 graduated from a high school in this state, or the equivalent thereof,

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11 and (iv) is registered as an entering student, or is enrolled at a public

- 12 institution of higher education in this state, and (B) if such person is
- 13 without legal immigration status, such person files an affidavit with
- 14 the institution of higher education stating that he or she has filed an
- 15 application to legalize his or her immigration status, or will file such an
- 16 application as soon as he or she is eligible to do so."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	July 1, 2007	10a-29